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FLOOD WARNING REMAINS IN EFFECT FOR THE CONNECTICUT RIVER

At Noon the Connecticut River in Hartford was at 17.30 Feet (1.30 Feet above flood stage) and rising. Minor flooding is occurring at this time in low-lying areas along the river. In Middletown, the river is at 8.25 Feet (0.25 Feet above flood stage) and rising. Minor flooding is also occurring in the Middletown area. The Connecticut River is forecast by the NWS River Forecast Center to continue to rise during the next 24 hours. The river is expected to crest near 20 Feet on Saturday Morning in Hartford and on Saturday afternoon at 11.7 Feet in Middletown. Towns along the river can expect minor flooding today with low lying fields and parks being flooded. The flooding will become somewhat more widespread overnight before cresting on Saturday. The river is then expected to slowly fall back below flood stage by early next week. The rest of the states rivers are below flood stage. The next detailed update will be issued by the DEP on the Connecticut River at 4:00 PM this afternoon.

DEP/NWS FORECAST HYDROGRAPH FOR THE CONNECTICUT RIVER

